

Annual Report
Florence Wild Rivers Interpretive Center
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The Wild Rivers Interpretive Center features an array of educational exhibits that tell the story of Florence County and where it fits into our great state of Wisconsin. The Interpretive Center opened in June 1992. It operates through a unique state, federal, and county partnership. We house the Florence County Forestry and Parks, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, US Forest Service, University of Wisconsin Extension and Wisconsin Department of Motor Vehicles. Our frontline staff is able to assist visitors with WDNR licensing and registration of boats, ATVs/UTVs, and snowmobiles. We are also able to assist with maps and informational materials for safe and educational experiences in the outdoors when dealing with a visit to any of the county's natural areas or water attributes in the area.

The funds that are received through a capacity grant are used to add educational exhibits each year as well as pay employees to staff the Visitor Center, which is located in the Wild Rivers Interpretive Center.